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2. ☒ The allowed claim(s) is/are 15-28.
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patent no. 6,180,821, which is a continuation of application 09/055,398 filed 04/06/1998, now
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Any inquiry concerning this communication should be directed to Glenn A. Caldarola at
telephone number 571-272-1444.

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